

Summer 2012 Calendar

Program in New Mexico

June 16–July 25

Program in North Carolina

June 16–July 28

Program at Lincoln College, Oxford

June 25–August 4

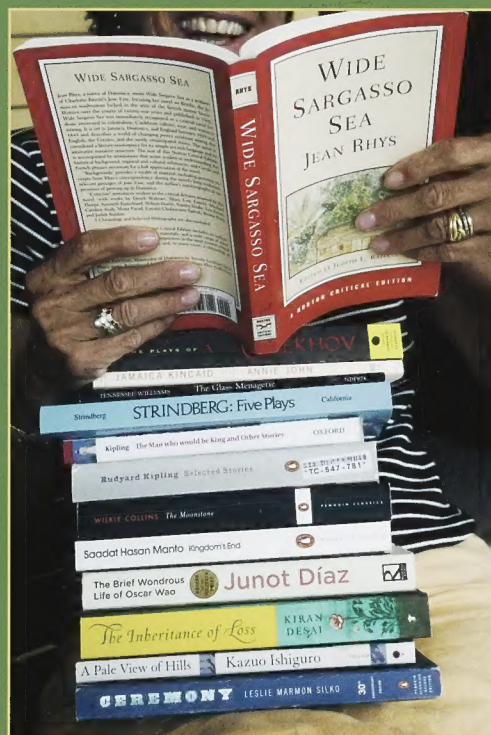
Program at Bread Loaf, Vermont

June 26–August 11

See the BLSE website for 2012 fees.

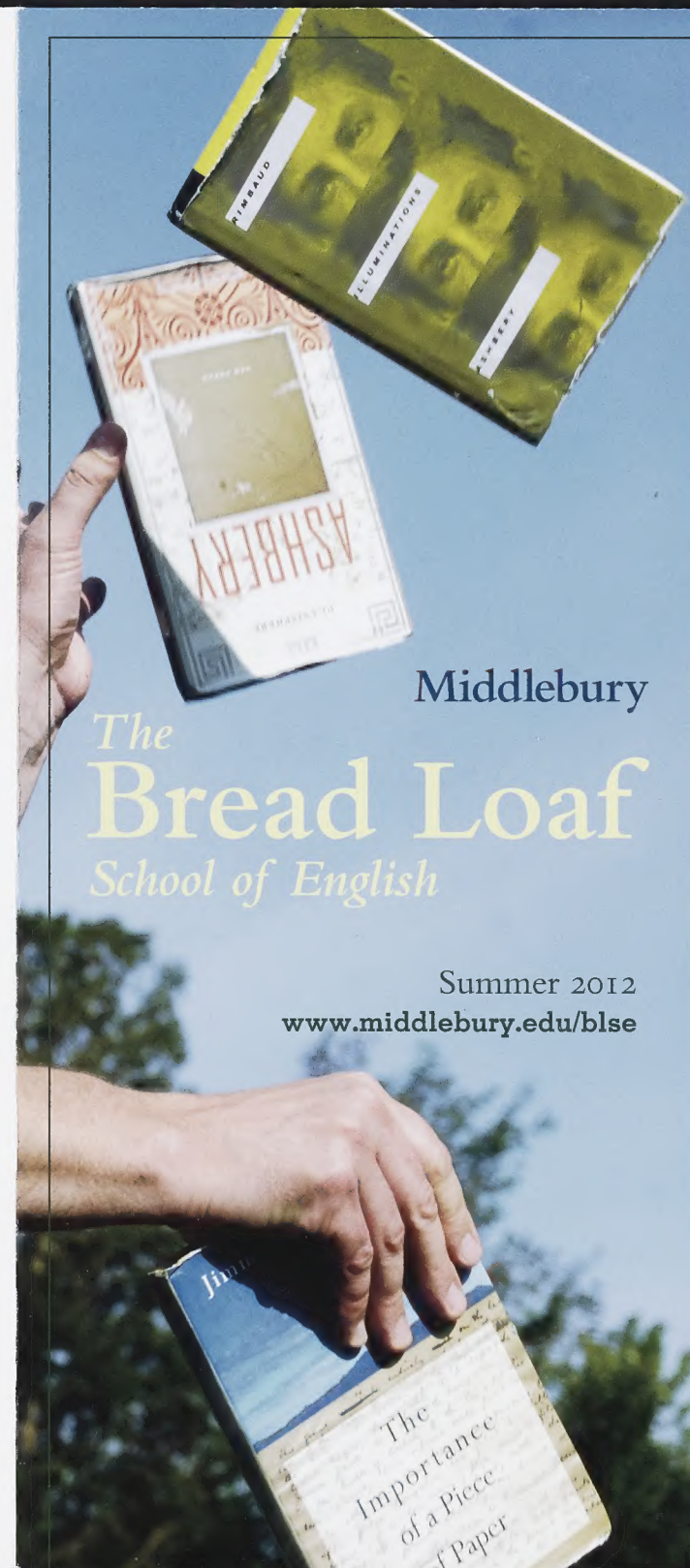
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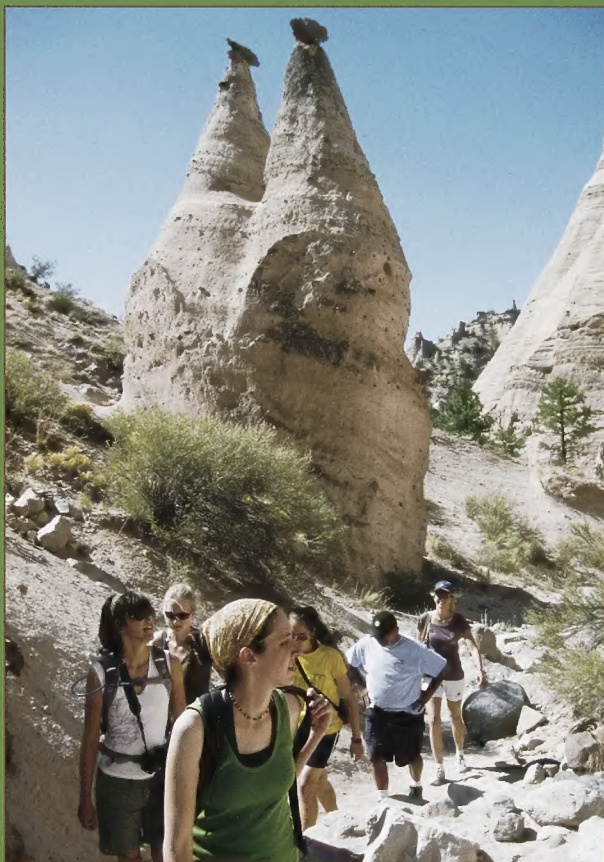
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www.middlebury.edu/blse

THE BREAD LOAF SCHOOL OF ENGLISH (BLSE) offers a rich array of graduate courses in literature, pedagogy, literacy, creative writing, and theater arts to students from across the U.S. and around the world.

For six weeks each summer Bread Loaf students, most of them secondary-school teachers, study with a world-class faculty at one of our four sites: Santa Fe, New Mexico; Asheville, North Carolina; Oxford, England; and the home campus outside Middlebury, in the Green Mountains of Vermont. Students may complete an MA or MLitt degree over the course of four to five summers or may come for one summer of intensive continuing education.



Admission

Admission is open to students already holding a BA degree or to exceptional rising seniors, and is based on college transcripts, two letters of recommendation, a statement of purpose, and a writing sample. New-student admissions begins January 9 and continues on a rolling basis until May 15; because the school fills quickly, we recommend that interested candidates apply early. BLSE is especially committed to increasing diversity in its community and encourages minority applications.

Financial Aid

Financial aid is available in the form of grants and loans. The aid is awarded on the basis of financial need and scholastic achievement on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information and downloadable forms, visit: www.middlebury.edu/blse/admissions/finaid. On-campus student jobs are available in Vermont and New Mexico. A limited number of special fellowships may also be available; information will be posted on the Bread Loaf website.

Graduate Degree Programs

BLSE offers both an MA and an MLitt program. To earn a degree, MA candidates must complete ten three-credit courses (two per summer), spanning a range of English, American, and world literature. The MLitt program is open to students who already hold an MA in English; MLitt candidates must complete ten three-credit courses and a cumulative examination or project in a chosen field of specialization.

Continuing Graduate Education

Students seeking an extraordinary professional development opportunity are invited to apply for one summer of study at any of the BLSE campuses and will receive a Certificate in Continuing Graduate Education after successfully completing their course work.



The Bread Loaf Teacher Network

Established in 1993, the Bread Loaf Teacher Network (BLTN) is one of the finest professional development networks in the country. Open to all Bread Loaf students, BLTN encourages innovative, media-rich collaboration among Bread Loaf teachers and their students year-round.

The Theater Program

The classes and program in Vermont are enriched by the on-site presence of the Bread Loaf Acting Ensemble. Throughout the summer, its professional actors work with faculty to bring texts to life in BLSE classrooms and work alongside students to stage a number of outstanding theatrical productions.

The Bread Loaf

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Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vermont

FOR SIX WORK-INTENSIVE weeks every summer, an extraordinary community of teachers and learners comes together at the four campuses of the Bread Loaf School of English (BLSE). Faculty members drawn

from such distinguished institutions as Princeton, Stanford, Emory, and Oxford teach courses in literature and the allied fields of literacy, pedagogy, creative writing, and theater arts. Students may

pursue an MA or MLitt degree in English, or they may enroll for one summer of top-quality continuing graduate education. The Bread Loaf program offers a uniquely innovative curriculum

and pedagogy, designed especially for K-12 teachers, as well as a nationally recognized teacher network, which provides professional development for BLSE students year-round.

Bread Loaf, Vermont

Since 1920, the central location for the school has been the campus situated in the Green Mountains of Vermont. The curriculum covers all fields, and classes feature ground-breaking collaborations between the BLSE faculty and the Bread Loaf Acting Ensemble.



Picture Yourself Here...



Asheville, North Carolina

Bread Loaf's southern campus is located at the University of North Carolina in Asheville, in the heart of the Blue Ridge Mountains. The curriculum emphasizes African American and Southern literature and draws on the unique racial and cultural history of the city.

University of Oxford, England

The Bread Loaf program in England is housed at Lincoln College, Oxford, and offers double-credit seminars taught by Oxford's world-class faculty. The curriculum emphasizes British literature and includes theater trips and trips to pertinent historical sites.

For more information

See the other side of this poster for more information about the Bread Loaf School.

To receive an application and catalog, or to learn about any special fellowships, write, call, or visit our website.

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